

and George Chamberlain, Kenosha, and J. R. Green, Waukegan, injured, while coupling trains in Northwestern yards at Waukegan.

Harry Levy, plumber, 432 Center st., sued Dr. Max Levy, Heyworth bldg., for \$10,000. Alleges alienation of wife's affections.

Mrs. Gilbert Young, St. Charles, Ill., stood in doorway and saw baby daughter killed by car.

Mrs. Meta Volentza, 1349 Edgemont av., gave her 6-weeks-old baby carbolic acid by mistake. Died instantly.

Vera Forde, 9, 1242 Montana st., sustained fractured skull when father threw her from wagon to avoid injuries in collision.

Fire caused \$50,000 damage to new coal elevator in Western United Gas and Elevator Co. plant, Joliet.

\$50,000 of police department fund transferred to new morals inspection dept. in charge of Mayor Funkhouser.

Mrs. Susan Davis, 66, 2820 N. Talman av., killed by gas. Police believe suicide.

Guy Morville, cabaret manager, arrested for kissing girl on street, fined \$1 and costs.

Wm. A. Harris and Max Covitz, convicted of arson, sentenced to from 1 to 20 years in Joliet.

WATER RACES THROUGH TEXAS

Austin, Tex., Oct. 4.—The Guadeloupe River, 40 feet high, is today racing down the valley, destroying crops, drowning live stock and carrying off houses. Nearly every vestige of crops in the Guadeloupe and San Marcos Valleys has been swept away.

Seventy-five persons are marooned on Santa Anna Mound, two miles south of Gonzales, where they fled to escape the flood. Two boatloads of provisions were sent them and returning, one boat overturned and the party was forced to spend the entire night in trees. The river rose five feet an hour.

THE ANNENBERG CASE

Stories diametrically opposed to each other were told at yesterday's afternoon's session of the trial of Max Annenberg, Tribune slugger, on a charge of attempting to kill Alexander Belford.

Charles Miller, 561 W. 12th place, a witness for the state, absolutely substantiated the story told by Belford that he was shot down while merely looking at the automobile from the sidewalk. Efforts on the part of counsel for the defense to shake his story failed.

Then Adolph Markoff, 813 Maxwell street, the building that the Tribune charged was a gambling joint, was called and he gave perfectly good Tribune testimony. He asserted that he saw, as Attorney Forrest of the Tribune described, Belford sneaking up on the Tribune auto with his hand in his hip pocket. No evidence has ever been offered to show that Belford had a gun.

Ben Kendall, Tribune reporter who was investigating gambling, was the only Tribune witness who didn't recite a vivid tale of seeing young Belford creeping up as though to slay the occupants of the car.

NEW CLUE IN REXROAT CASE

The finding of a heavy hammer, wrapped in a towel, near the railroad tracks where the body of Mrs. Rexroat was found, is regarded as an important clue by the police.

Detectives are searching the shops to find where the hammer was bought.

Meanwhile the police are bending every effort to locate E. G. Spencer, a motorman on the Aurora & Elgin line.

A card bearing the name, "Mr. Anthony Melville Rud," was also found near the scene of the crime.

An Oregon farmer has discovered that he can raise onions on rich soil by tying threads around each plant to check the flow of sap to the tops.